



Applicant : CHOU
Application No. : 10/729,980
Filed : December 9, 2003
Title : ASSAY SYSTEMS, KITS AND METHODS FOR
DETECTING MICROORGANISMS
Group Art Unit : 1645
Examiner : Dr. Rodney P. Swartz
Attorney Docket : BHT/3092-397

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 25, 2006, the period for response to which has been extended to expire on **October 25, 2005** by the filing herewith of a Petition for a two-month extension of time and payment of the required fee, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.